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BAD STOMACH MAKES BAD BLOOD.

You can't make sweet butter in a foul churn. Every farmer's wife knows this. Your stomach churns and digests the food you eat, and if foul, torpid or out of order, your whole system suffers from blood poisoning. You will have foul breath, coated tongue, bad taste, poor appetite and a whole train of disagreeable symptoms. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, which is not a beverage composed of whisky or alcohol, being entirely free from intoxicants, is a great regulator and invigorator of the Stomach, Liver and Bowels.

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MOBBED BY OYSTERMEN.

A mob of several hundred oystermen and their sympathizers took possession of Crisfield, Md., yesterday in behalf of Ralph Nelson, charged with pirating, or raiding, the oyster plantation of the Tangier Company, in Tangier sound, Somerset county.

Nelson, it is charged, has been defying the law for some time, aided by his friends in great numbers. Finally he was arrested at the theatre in Crisfield and held for a hearing, which began yesterday morning at 10 o'clock in an opera house, secured to hold the crowd, and continued until 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon, when the prisoner was pronounced guilty after a trial before Justice G. W. Kennerly.

Then the most dramatic and exciting performance ever witnessed in any Maryland theatre occurred and justice was thrown to the winds. The mob howled for the lynching of the justice, and he, feeling that his life was in danger, drew his pistol and backed into a corner of the stage. The sheriff and his deputies drew their guns and rallied to his support. The mob rescued the prisoner and carried him off in triumph. But they were not yet done with the justice. They turned the tables on him, and instead of his sending Nelson to jail so guarded the opera house courtroom that he could not get out, though he tried a back window.

On the part of the mob their demonstrations were very violent. As soon as the Justice announced his verdict there was a rush for him, in which the prisoner was taken away from the law officers and several persons were injured. The sheriff did not dare to attempt a recapture. The friends of the justice persuaded him to revoke his just verdict, founded on direct testimony, to the effect that Nelson had raided the private planting grounds of the Tangier Company, the agents of which had warned him off the plantation.

Justice Kennedy was held a prisoner by the mob for the good part of an hour before he weakened. Then the mob would not at first believe the truth, but the justice emphasized the revocation of sentence by declaring he would never try another oyster case, so it is supposed he will go out of commission as a necessary consequence.

Nelson, the accused, and his friends paraded the streets triumphantly. The mob held the town, declaring that there shall be no planting of oysters and threatening to raid and tear up those that already exist in these waters.

Hon. James E. Ellegood was retained as counsel for Nelson, and when the mob made the rush for the justice the former did all in his power to calm the excitement and prevent violence. In this he succeeded to the extent that no violence was done, but the mob could not be deterred from their purpose of downing law.

Waning Powers of the Pulpit.

Dr. Isaac Franklin Russsel, professor of law in New York University, delivered an address before the Presbyterian Ministers' Association, at the Mission Rooms, in New York last Monday morning. Dr. Russell's theme was "The Preacher as a Pleader." He said in part.

The waning power of the pulpit is one of the most lamentable signs of the times. The intellectual pre-eminence of the preacher has passed and gone. Harvard and Yale were once training schools for missionaries and divines. The vast majority of their graduates once took holy orders. But the pulpit no longer attracts the brightest minds, and theological seminaries swarm with intellectual and moral weakings. Panperized by charity, beneficiaries of the bounty of the pious of past ages, divinity students are taught from the start to live, not on the principle that the laborer is worthy of his hire, but by making friends of the mammon of unrighteousness. Pulpit deliverances of our day often lacken every element of real oratory; they are largely dreary monologues and complacent so i iquys. The speaker's wits, instead of being sharpened by adversity and defeat, are blunted by the adulation of women and his unvaried triumphs in his weekly duel with an imaginary foe. Preaching has become spectacular, as well as a spiritual ministration. Subserviency of the clergy to the money power will not fully account for the hush in pulpit oratory. Our present-day divines are not deficient in the art of finished elocution, but they have dropped the old theme of salvation from an inherited curse of sin and escape from the endless tortures of a literal hell. But when the pulpit has moral earnestness, it rises to the loftiest elevation of eloquent expression. The enthusiasts who really believed that the heathen are damned, that the millenium will dawn in two or three years if the Gospel can only be preached in all lands, that the man Jesus will certainly come in our day to reign in worldly dominion at Jerusalem—these add works to their faith and are persuaded by the preacher to sell all and lay it on the altar. It was homely language of a country deacon, speaking to a pasaon who had prayed long and loudly for power: "What you want, doctor, isn't power; it's idea." And when the clergy have ideas and grand ideas, they deliver noble orations, ranking with the finished work of the greatest masters of expression.

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New Linen Dinner Napkins, dozen..... $2.50
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SIC SEMPER TYRANNIS
AND VIRGINIA ADVERTISER

THURSDAY EVENING, NOV. 30, 1905.

TODAY has been observed more or less throughout the United States as a day of thanksgiving and prayer with its accompanying feastings, theatre parties, &c. Many doubtless entered into it with thankful and appreciative souls for the continued prosperity and peace in our land and for the fact that we have been allowed so long to be spectators only of the trials and tribulations which have beset less favored nations. It may, however, be safe to say that the larger percentage regarded thanksgiving as of secondary importance, and had their hearts fixed upon the sports and cheer incident to the occasion. There is hardly a country on the globe more favored than the United States of America. Blessed in basket and store, with a territory stretching from perpetual snows to the tropics and its arms extending from ocean to ocean, capable of growing everything needed for the maintenance of human beings, as well as those which add to the luxury of existence, it is justly regarded as the asylum of all nations. Its polyglott population is increasing yearly, and with no cruel military requirements to bar industry, the people thrive and increase in wealth, and everyone can sit in peace under his own vine and fig tree with none to molest or make afraid. Contrasted with all these blessings stand present conditions in other nations, where, to use a scriptured figure of speech, the seas and waves are roaring, red flags flaunting, rioters and insurrectionists becoming bolder and bolder, thrones shaking and the spirit of disorder and discontent spreading from nation to nation. Russia is now in the throes of a terrible revolution, and no one can tell how long the government will be able to hold in check the hordes of frantic people who are bent upon eliminating all law and order. Another picture was flashed upon the screen a few days ago when thousands of people in Vienna carrying red flags flaunted these emblems of anarchy almost in the face of the King of Austria. During the past week the Spanish government was compelled to send a battleship to Cadiz in order to protect the city from the incursions of revolutionists. The last ominous scene was that in the heart of London yesterday when members of the royal family, who were acting as benefactors, were publicly insulted and jeered. As has been said above, we are at present merely spectators of such commotions, but who can tell how soon similar conditions may beset ones own land? A straw comes from the little town of Crisfield, Md., where a mob yesterday compelled a judge to rescind his sentence, threatening to lynch him in case he refused. He was later kept a prisoner in a public place, while the unlawful gathering terrorized the town. We are told that the beginning of the year 1906 will witness a strike on a large scale and an issue will be precipitated between employers and employees which is to be a fight to a finish. Both sides are accumulating war funds, and the contest is naturally anticipated with alarm. No one can tell what conditions will prevail in the United States a year hence. It is hoped no serious transition is to take place, but who can tell?

THE initial step in what may prove a disastrous tariff war between the United States and Germany was taken yesterday, when the German Embassy, by direction of the Berlin Foreign Office, formally denounced to the State Department the existing trade agreement between the United States and Germany. Unless Congress during the forthcoming session takes some action toward meeting the overtures of Germany for a reciprocity treaty with this country, it is feared that a tariff war will result. Under the provisions of the treaty, three months' notice of denunciation is required, and, although there was some doubt regarding the necessity of such formal denunciation, in view of the fact that Germany will put a new tariff law in effect on March 1, it was determined by the Ambassador to give every evidence of a desire to abide by the stipulations of the agreement and to give all due notice to American exporters of the coming change.

THE enforced retirement of Minister Squiers to Cuba is a good thing. For a long time the relations between Mr. Squiers and the Cuban government have not been thoroughly satisfactory either to Cuba or to the State Department. It is said that in interviews in "The Havana Telegraph" and a New York newspaper the minister gave much encouragement to the American colonists on the Isle of Pine and Americans at home who had property in that island in their recent "secession" move. Too many American officials now undertake to perniciously interfere with the affairs of the governments where they are stationed. It will be remembered that Minister Bowen had to be recalled from Venezuela but recently.

CARRYING out a resolution to tell everything connected with the fatal fist fight between himself and Midshipman James Branch, Midshipman Meriwether yesterday took the stand in his own behalf, and he related every incident connected with his dealing with Branch. He told a straightforward story which elicited much sympathy particulary when he said: "I think Mr. Branch was, indeed, fortunate in being in his place, in going to sleep and not waking up, than to be in mine and having to live this life after this sad and deplorable affair." No reasonable person believes that Meriwether wished to kill Branch or even to do him any permanent harm; consequently his punishment on any such charge is not desired But the brutal, dishonorable "honor system" in vogue at the Naval Academy is what all sensible people wish to see abolished and also to see punished the officers who encourage or promote prize fights. To show the severity with which this false "code" is enforced among the cadets, Meriwether during his examination yesterday said that if he had not resented Branch's continued actions he would be in the same position as another classmate with whom no one has anything to do. On the day before another cadet testified that he knew of an instance where a midshipman was reported by an officer for failing to have resented what the officer construed to be an insult given by another midshipman. The midshipman who used the words which the officer regarded as insulting to the man to whom they were addressed, went to the officer, and after he had explained that the remark was made in a purely playful way, the report was withdrawn. Could anything be more criminally ridiculous?

THE FIRST definite expression of union to come out of the recent interchurch conference occurred last week, when twelve delegates of the regular Baptist Church and twelve of the Free Baptists adopted resolutions declaring that no doctrinal difference such as close communion or open communion shall hereafter prevent their acting together as one denomination.

IT IS STATED that Harvard's head football coach has been invited to the White House by President Roosevelt to "talk over the football situation." It would seem to most people that the President has about as much as he can well attend to in State matters, without undertaking to manage the football game.

From Washington.

(Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette.)

Washington, D. C., Nov. 30.

Thanksgiving Day was observed at the capital with the usual abundance of turkeys and a general suspension of business in the departments and private life. The President was at his office shortly after 9 o'clock this morning and ground out his usual grist of correspondence. Several of the clerical force were on hand to send out the letters that had been dictated by the President, but before noon the office building was closed. President and Mrs. Roosevelt and the children left this morning at 10:50 o'clock over the Southern Railway to spend their Thanksgiving on the farm in Albemarle county, Virginia, and recently purchased by Mrs. Roosevelt. The return will be made Friday afternoon. It had been arranged to eat the Thanksgiving turkey at the White House, but at the last minute the President decided to flavor his day of rest with the pleasing aroma of the forest. At the last moment it was decided that Miss Alice and little Quentin would not accompany the party. Miss Roosevelt is just convalescing from a slight illness and the outing Dr. Rixey thought would not be wise. In addition to the family, Will Dulaney, the President's valet, accompanied the party to look after the luggage and two of the White House cooks went along to prepare the Thanksgiving dinner. Special services were held in nearly all the local churches and most of the charitable institutions and societies provided turkey dinners for the poor. The Homewaad Bound Mission and Salvation Army each served several hundred meals.

The entire number of Representatives in the House of the new Congress, which is to assemble next Monday, is 386, of whom only 137 are democrats, giving the republicans a majority of 112 Only 81 of the total membership are first termers. Among these 81 are not a few men of national reputation. Special interest attaches to some. Chicago sends an interesting man in the person of Anthony Michalek, republican, who ran against Carter Harrison's brother in what was believed to be a hopelessly democratic district, and who wouldn't consent to accept the nomination except on the stipulation that all the campaign literature should refer to him as a grocer and give his business address, so that he might at least get some advertising out of his futile political sacrifice. Albert F. Dawson is one of the new members from Iowa, again putting that State solidly into the republican column. Massachusetts sends Rockwood Hoar, son of the late Senator Hoar. Missouri sends Cassius M. Shartell of Neosho, who never saw an elevator till he visited St. Louis recently. Another of the new arrivals from the Empire State is Charles A. Towne, once for two days a member of the United States Senate from Minnesota now returning to his old place in the House. An interesting figure on the republican side from New York is J. Sloat Fassett, who was once defeated by Hill for Governor of the State. E. Spencer Blackburn has confounded his enemies and after an absence of a term comes back from North Carolina as the only republican of that delegation. West Virginia's new member is Thomas B. Davis, brother of ex-Senator Davis. Thirteen new members will present themselves at the bar of the Senate, that is thirteen counting Robert M. LaFollette of Wisconsin. Some comment is heard to the effect that he'll be there, all right; yet even those who are closest to him will not commit themselves with absolute positiveness. The United States Senate of the 59th Congress will be one short of its full membership, Delaware again appearing with a vacancy. Of the total membership of 89, there are 57 republicans; of the thirteen new members, but two are democrats. One of these is Isdor Rayner of Maryland, The other new democrats is James B. Frazier of Tennessee. One of the interesting characters now returning to his old place in the Senate is Thomas H. Carter, of Montana, who made his exit in March. 1901. There will probably be two absentee Senators next Monday, Joseph R. Burton of Kansas, and John H. Mitchell, of Oregon, both of whom have recently been convicted of offenses against the government.

First Assistant Postmaster General Hitchcock turned over to the Treasury today $788,516.85, the amount of money orders purchased of the postoffice, but which have never been called for by the payers. This amount has been accumulating since money orders came into use. According to a recent law the uncalled for gain must be turned into the Treasury.

Three football games here and the races at Benning gave amusement to thousands of people today, including many Alexandrians, who came over to witness the sports. The day is rather cold, but there are many ways of keeping warm.

The little men of the football team from Washington and Lee University had no trouble in rolling up a score of 17 to 0 on George Washington University at Van Ness Park this morning. The latter's line was lamentable weak and slow.

Chekib Bey, the Minister from Turkey, says that his master the Sultan and his people as a whole have been grieviously misunderstood and maligned by the entire world. The Sultan is a peaceable ruler, tolerant of all religious faith and to say or to even hint that he has ever directly or indirectly instigated the massacres of Christians in Turkish territory is to do him a great injustice. The trouble between Turkey and the six powers has been greatly exaggerated, says Chekib, and he ought to know. "Of course a hitch has occurred somewhere," he admitted, "but such hitches often occur between the most friendly nations The naval demonstration does not amount to anything. Almost all the powers have warships in the neighborhood of Turkey the greatei part of the time, so their simultaneous appearance is not at all significent. In Turkey absolute religious freedom is allowed and the average Mussulman will never speak on subjects in which religion enters, preferring to leave such topics uncommented upon. You cannot recall a single instance in which Christians were massacred because of their religion. In the newspapers you will frequently see what is termed "an Armenian massacre" which is purported to be the murder of a number of Armenians by our people, whereas the contrary was the fact and those very Armenians who are supposed to have been killed, did the killing themselves and then fled to America or some other foreign country. I repeat there is no danger for foreigners of any nationality or any religion in Turkey."

Newspapers which publish the results of church euchre parties where prizes are given may be excluded from the mails by Postmaster General Cortelyou. This is to apply only to such affairs as charge an admission fee. Parties where the card players are not required to present tickets do not come under the ban. Should the new ruling be enforced literally all accounts of church and society raffles, fairs and whist parties where prizes are drawn would be barred from the mails. The Attorney General for the Postoffice Department says that the rule will not be made to work injury to any worthy enterprise, but adds that it will be best for the press to refrain from printing lists of prizes of affairs where admission fees are charged.

News of the Day.

It is said in Constantinople that there is no fear of an anti-Christian uprising there.

Commander Howard, of the Maryland State fishery force, reports that he arrested in the Potomac river, on November 25, four Virginia boats and two Maryland boats for violation of the cull law.

Reports show that 19 vessels were wrecked in the storm which swept over the Great Lakes Monday night and Tuesday Six vessels are reported missing. Score of lives were lost. Lifesavers were at work all night in a raging snowstorm.

A shock was given some of the employes of the government printing office, in Washington, yesterday, when Public Printer Stilliugs sent out written requests to know just what they intended to do relative to paying certain debts, and at the same time informiug them that he would expect and insist on the liquidation of all just debts.

Miss Anna Hall, of Cincinnati, who recently attracted wide attention by advocating at a Philadelphia convention that persons hopelessly ill or suffering be chloroformed, wanted to practice her theory on her own mother, according to testimony given yesterday at a hearing over the contested will of Mrs. Muncey Hall, Miss Hall's mother.

The citizens of Amwell township, near Washington, Pa , are stirred up against vaccination, owing to the death of Dale Iams, aged 10 years, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Zebulon Iams. The child was vaccinated last week and Friday, at school, children broke the scab. She took ill and on Sunday lockjaw developed, and she has died with all her muscles rigidly set.

Richard A. McCurdy yesterday resigned as president of the Mutual Life Insurance Company. His resignation was accepted by the Board of Trustees, and Frederic Cromwell was made his successor. The resignation of Justice Rufus W. Peckham, of the United States Supreme Court, as a trustee of the Mutual, also was presented to the Board of Trustees at yesterday's meeting. The resignation was accepted. Senator Armstrong chairman of the committee appointed by the New York Legislature to investigate life insurance, issued a Thanksgiving greeting yesterday to policy-holders, advising them not to let their policies lapse.

Trouble Feared.

The occupation of Mytilene by the allied forces has had no effect on the population of Constantinople, which is celebrating the Bairam festival, but advices from Adrianople and Saloniki cause apprehensions of trouble in the event of the prolongation of the present situation. There has been an alarming increase in the number of murders of Bulgarians by Mussulmans in the vilayet of Saloniki during the last few days.

The ambassadors are doubtful whether they will receive any further communication from the Porte on the subject of the demands of the powers until the Bairam festival is concluded.

All was quiet at Mytilene yesterday. The landing of the international contingent Sunday, with the subsequent occupations of the customs and postal buildings, was carried out without arousing any demonstration on the part of the Turks. So peaceful is the population that 500 out of 600 men landed from the allied fleet subsequently were withdrawn, their continued presence ashore being deemed by the commanders quite unnecessary.

Virginia News.

Mrs. S. E. Pleasants, mother of Mr. E. L. Pleasants, of Leesburg, died Tuesday at her home in Scottsville, Albemarle county.

Miss Lucy A. Bigger, oldest daughter of the late John Bell Bigger, died yesterday at the home of her mother, Mrs. Annie B. Bigger, in Richmond, after a severe and complicated illness of nearly a year.

Virginia ranks third among the States in furnishing the largest number of cases of hydrophobia. New York is first, Pennsylvania second and Virginia third. Norfolk and Newport News lead the cities of the State in furnishing the greatest number of cases.

Major R. O. Peatross, a prominent lawyer and ex-member of the Virginia legislature, died yesterday at his home, in Bowling Green, Carolina county, aged about 75 years. He was a Confederate soldier and was a major of the Thirtieth Virginia Regiment.

The granite pedestal for the monument to General Hugh Mercer, to be erected in Fredericksburg by the United States government, at a cost of about $25,000, has arrived from New York and will be put in position this week. The bronze figure will follow in a short time.

The Co-operative Education Commission began its fall meeting of three days at Lynchburg, yesterday. Addresses of welcome were delivered by Hon. Carter Glass and Dr. W. L. Pickard. Dr. E. A. Alderman, of the University of Virginia, spoke on "Popular Education."

Gov.-elect Swanson yesterday filed with the county clerk of Chatham an account of expenses incurred during the campaign; Postage, $250, printing, $37; stationery $36; express, telephone, and telegrams, $30; railroad fare, hotel bills and other incidentals, $304; expenses of primary, $9,840; total $10,494. Mr. Swanson will leave for Washington today.

Mrs. Emily Neilson Blackford, wife of Dr. Benjamin Blackford, superintendent of the Western State Hospital, at Staunton, died yesterday of pneumonia. Mrs. Blackford was taken ill last Thursday. Mrs. Blackford had been twice married, She was born in Baltimore in 1841, her maiden name being Emily Neilson. Her first husband was a Mr. Byrd, of Clark county, to whom she was married in the first year of the civil war. Her marriage to Dr. Blackford took place in Baltimore, January 10, 1871.

A Confederate battle flag, captured from the Thirteenth Virginia Cavalry, in battle September 17, 1862, by the Eighth Illinois Cavalry, under the command of General John F. Farnsworth, was returned with impressive ceremony to Sergeant Harry Lee, the representative of Governor Montague, of Virginia, at the Great Northern Hotel, in Chicago, last night. A number of members of both cavalry commands witnessed the return of the old standard by Col. D J. Hynes, representing the Eighth Illinois Veteran Cavalry Association.

George I. Worthington, of South Norfolk, was taken to the Norfolk County Jail, in Portsmouth, yesterday morning on the charge of being responsible for the death of his wife, Mamie B. Worthington, who was burned to death. The husband went home late and when the wife started to get supper for him he snatched the lamp from her hand, it is alleged, and allowed it to fall to the floor and set her clothes on fire. He was not in a condition to assist her and before the neighbors arrived she was fatally burned. He had nothing to say in defense of his conduct when the verdict of the coroner's jury was read charging him with her death.

When in the Mayor's Court in Petersburg yesterday morning the case of A. W. Harris, a colored lawyer and Deputy United States Internal Revenue Collector, was called, he being charged with stealing two bales of cotton from Arrington & Green and $42 in money from J. C. Robinson, Commonwealth's Attorney R. H. Mann offered another warrant against Harris, charging that Robert Trainer stole a bale of cotton from Arrington & Green and that Harris procured, aided and abetted Trainer in the larceny. The case was continued until tomorrow morning and Harris was released on bail in the sum of $500 in the felony case and $200 in the misdemeanor cases.

Senator in Contempt.

United States Senator Thomas M. Patterson was yesterday, in Denver, held by the Colorado Supreme Court to be in contempt of court for printing certain cartoons and editorials in his two newspapers and was fined $1,000, the Senator to be committed to jail until the fine should be paid. Subsequently the court ordered a stay of execution for sixty days, pending an appeal by Senator Patterson to the Supreme Court of the United States.

Shortly before noon the court announced that the Patterson case would be called, and directed that an attachment be issued for the Senator when he failed to appear. Later the Senator came into the court in company with the court baliff. He protested against the service of an attachment, asserting that he was not attempting to avoid an appearance. The court reminded Senator Patterson that he had agreed to appear at a certain time. Considerable discussion and controversy followed as to just what had been agreed between Senator Patterson's attorneys and the court.

Senator Patterson declared emphatically that he would go to jail rather than pay the fine imposed. His attorneys also informed the court that Senator Patterson would exercise constitutional right as a United States Senator to claim exemption from arrest while Congress was in session and thereby have set aside the judgment of the court so that he might be enabled to be present when Congress convened next week.

Further discussion followed and the Senator told the court that if a stay of execution was issued he would hasten an appeal to the Supreme Court of the United States, and, if that body refused to take cognizance of his case or decided the case against him he would pay the fine immediately. The court agreed to this.

Every Ounce You Eat.

Every ounce of food you eat that fails to digest does a pound of harm. It turns the entire meal into poison. This not only deprives the blood of the necessary tissue-building material, but it poisons it. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure is a perfect digestant. It digests the food regardless of the condition of the stomach. It allows that organ to rest and get strong again. Relieves Belching, Heart Burn, Sour Stomach, Indigestion, Palpitation of the Heart, etc. Sold by W. F. Creighton & Co., 401 King street.

Today's Telegraphic News

The Situation in Russia.

London, Nov. 30.—Owing to the strike of operators in St. Petersburg, telegraphic communication with the European capitals, while not as yet completely stopped, messages are greatly delayed. So far no news has been received here today from St. Petersburg, regarding the report of the bombardment of Sevastopol yesterday by mutinous sailors on the cruiser Otchakoff.

Warsaw, Nov. 30.—The garrison at Novogeorgievik, twenty miles outside of Warsaw, have mutinied. A battalion of infantry, a battalion of artillery, and a battalion of engineers left the barracks demanding better treatment, also better clothes and food. Loyal troops who were summoned arrested the mutineers. Five of the ringleaders were shot, and 500 were imprisoned.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 30.—Members of the naval staff are strictly silent regarding the reports of Admiral Chouknis, in command of the Black Sea fleet at Sevastopol, but deny the alarmist reports that are current regarding the situation there. Your correspondent is informed that foreign interference is not unlikely in an endeavor for the pacification of the mutineers. It is reported that the northern and southern batteries at Sevastopol yesterday fought each other with artillery for five hours. Finally the infantry stormed the northern battery, losing five hundred men in the assault. The squadron divided also and a part of it bombarded the city of Sevastopol, half destroying it, while the guns of the others were turned on the mutinous vessels. The mutineers, it is reported, surrendered after the death of Lieutenant Scmidt, the leader of the mutineers of the cruiser Otchakoff. The cruiser Otchakoff was sunk, and the warships Dneiper and Panteleimon were seriously damaged. The Panteleimon was formerly the cruiser Kniaz Potemkin, and was recently renamed.

Warsaw, Nov. 30.—The attempt of the commandant to break the strike of the telegraphers with the soldiers of the signal corps has failed, as the soldiers absolutely refused to do the work. As an evidence of how widespread the exodus from this city is, it is stated that the officers in charge of the issuance of passports are absolutely unable to supply the clamorous travelers, despite the fact that they are working overtime.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 30.—According to the newspaper Novosti, the casualties on both sides during yesterday's fighting at Sevastopol will exceed five thousand. The leaders of the mutineers, declares the paper, have been summarily court martialed and executed. The dispatch concludes with the statement that two battleships, one of them the Panteleimon, have been torpedoed and blown up.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 30.—The naval battalion here has been disarmed as it was feared that it was about to revolt. Reports coming in from the interior are of a most alarming character, and a general uprising of the troops is imminent.

Moscow, Nov. 30.—Every day sees new establishments closed by the strike, and nearly every line of industry is affected. Most of the wealthy residents are leaving the city.

Equitable Life Assurance Society.

Berlin, Nov. 30.—The German managers of the Equitable Life Assurance Society has been notified by the Imperial Insurance Commissioner that a receiver for the corporation will be appointed in Germany unless the company at once increases its premium reserves invested in the kingdom. The insurance department claims that the American corporation is working under the law of May, 1901, which was passed to safeguard policy holders and which compelled all insurance corporations to treble their invested reserves. The Equitable officials claim that as they no longer write new insurance anywhere in Germany they are not liable under the laws.

Celebration of Anniversary.

New York, Nov. 30.—The two hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the settlement of the Jews in the United States was celebrated with a large mass meeting held this afternoon at Carnegie Hall. Former President Grover Cleveland was the principal speaker of the occasion. Another important feature of the programme was the reading of a letter from President Roosevelt. Other speeches were made by Jacob H. Schiff, who presided at the meeting, Governor Frank W. Higgins, Mayor McClellan, Bishop Greer, Judge Mayer Salzberger and the Rev. Dr. S. Hereira Mendoz. The speeches were interesting and all who participated were highly pleased with the proceedings.

Killed by a Train.

Philadelphia, Nov. 30.—While walking the tracks of the Reading Railroad, and on their way to catch a trolly car which would take them to their homes in Langhorne, Pa., a party of three persons, prominent in Langhorne society, were run down by the New York express this morning. Miss May Ambler was instantly killed, and terribly mangled, and a companion, Miss Gertrude Powell, had both arms cut off, and was so terribly injured that she will die. A male companion of the two girls, whose name is said to be Palmer, had his right arm cut off, and was otherwise injured,

Resignation of Spanish Cabinet.

Madrid, Nov. 30.—The Cabinet has resigned, but this time King Alfonso has refused to accept, declaring that under present conditions, it would be impossible to constitute a new ministry. Today's attempted withdrawal was due to disagreement over the army administration.

The Recent Storm in the Northwest

Duluth, Minn., Nov. 30.—Quiet has followed in the wake of the great lakes storm and the seas of treacherous Superior and Michigan and Huron run less high, but they hold the bodies of 15 men and they break on the wrecks of 28 boats strewn along the shores.

Big Hawsers.

The John A. Roebling's Sons Company, of Tren on, N. J., has completed the largest towing cables ever made, and which are to be used to haul the drydock Dewey from Sparrows' Point, Md., to Olangapo, in the Philippines. The specially-built hawsers each contain 222 wires divided into six strands of 37 wires each; twisted around a hemp core, and are two inches in diameter. 1200 feet long, weigh about 7500 pounds each, and are the most powerful ever built.

Cleared for Action.

When the body is cleared for action, by Dr. King's New Life Pills, you can tell it by the bloom of health on the cheeks; the brightness of the eyes; the firmness of the flesh and muscles; the buoyancy of the mind. Try them. At E. S. Leadbeater & Sons' drug store, 25 cents.

The Meriwether Court Martial.

Annapolis, Md., Nov. 30.—The Meriwether court martial met this morning for a brief session. After hearing and approving the lengthy record of yesterday's proceedings, the judge advocate asked the defense if it was ready to proceed. Civil counsel James R. Munroe stated to the court that no more evidence would be introduced.

"The defence, provided the Judge Advocate agrees, is willing to submit the case to the court on the evidence, without argument," said Mr. Munroe.

To this the prosecution refused to agree, and Mr. Munroe then requested adjournment until tomorrow. to prepare arguments, which was granted. He said he would submit an oral argument as well as a brief.

Lieutenant Commander Robison, who has been indefatigable in defense of Meriwether, was barely able to attend court this morning. He is suffering from a practical collapse and is under medical treatment. Mr. Robison is professor of mathematics in the Academy, and while this is his first appearance before a court martial in the capacity of counsel, he has shown a remarkable aptitude as a trial advocate. On the other hand Captain Marix has had wide experience as a Judge Advocate, having made a record in that capacity before the Maine Board of Inquiry.

The prosecution has been assisted by U. S. District Attorney Rose, one of the leading members of the Maryland Bar.

Mr. Monroe, civil counsel for the defense, is a well known trial lawyer, and is particularly strong before a jury. Consequently he will be at home before a court martial.

In courts martial the defense opens and closes the argument, contrary to the practice in civil courts. There will probably be some first class analyses of evidence in the summing up.

Midshipman Meriwether has borne the strain of his trial well. He returned to the stand for a few minutes today, for the correction of minor inaccuracies in the stenographer's report of his testimony yesterday.

Mrs. Minor Meriwether, sr., mother of Midshipman Meriwether, is in the city, having come from Lafayette, Louisiana. She visited her son in his quarters today, and they had a little family reunion of their own.

Annapolis, Md., Nov. 30.—An executive session was held by the court at which it was decided to grant Mr. Munroe however, surprised the court by withdrawing his request, and asking to proceed forthwith. He was permitted to do so. Mr. Munroe delivered a strong speech on behalf of Meriwether. In an hour's argument, he devoted the major portion to setting up that Branch's death was due to three falls which he had received during the fight.

Saw Hoodoo In Crossed Eyes.

Utica, N. Y., Nov. 30.—City Judge James K. O'Connor, who believes that Friday and the 13th are his lucky days, and who has other superstitions, was surprised to find a cross-eyed man sitting on the prisoner's bench, awaiting arraignment when he entered the Court room yesterday. The Judge hesitated a moment, and then wheeled about on his heel, making a complete revolution. Glancing across the room, he beckoned to a dozen newspapers and Court spectators, saying: "Gentlemen, you will kindly arise and turn completely around once to shake off the hoodoo. There is a cross-eyed prisoner on the bench." The group obeyed. When the cross-eyed man was arraigned with his three partners, all tramps, Judge O'Connor said: "Gentlemen, I don't believe any of you is a criminal, but you'll get into trouble as long as keep this cross-eyed man with you." They were discharged.

Disaster to Burglars.

Wilkes-Barre, Pa., Nov. 30.—Burglars in blowing open the safe at Fenner & Son's store at Ashley, today, made such a poor job of it that in addition to partially wrecking the building they blew off the right arm of one of their number. Five bloody fingers were found among the ruins in the store immediately after the robbery, and in the course of a half hour later the injured burglar was located at the home of Thomas Moran, where he had been left by his pals. The injured man at first said his name was Kennedy, and later he said it was Sullivan. He claims Scranton as his home. Almost the entire front of the building was blow out, while the interior of the store was wrecked.

Lockwood Released.

J. W. Lockwood, president of the defunct American Bank of Orange, after having been on trial for the past three days, charged with embezzling $12,000, was released yesterday, the Commonwealth having nolle prossed the case, the evidence tending to show that the shortage occurred. Lockwood testified that the American Bank sent certain notes to the Gordonsville bank of Lockwood & Company, which were never accounted for by the latter concern, and claimed that if the Gordonsville concern had remitted for these notes the shortage would not appear. There being no evidence to the contrary the case was dismissed. The court will be in session the balance of the week considering several suits against the railroad for damages.

COURT OF APPEALS.

Murray & Anderson vs. Moore Argued and submitted.

Hairston vs. Danville and Western Railway Company. Continued.

Foreman, who sues for, &c., vs. The German Alliance Insurance Company. Argued and submitted.

Hagan & Co. vs. City of Richmond. Argued and continued until Friday.

Next cases to be called—Elliot vs. Ashby, receiver; Newport News Publishing Company vs. Baumister, and Stokes's administratrix vs Southern Railway Company, being Nos. 8, 9 and 10 on argument docket.

The court was not in session today (Thanksgiving Day,) but will sit Friday and Saturday.

No Poison in Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

From Napier, New Zealand, Herald: Two years ago the Pharmacy Board of New South Wales, Australia, had an analysis made of all the cough medicines that they declared were entirely free from all poisons. This exception was Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, made by the Chamberlain Medicine Company, Des Moines, Iowa, U. S. A. The absence of all narcotics makes this remedy the safest and best that can be had; and it is with a feeling of security that any mother can give it to her little ones. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is especially recommended by its makers for coughs, colds, croup and whooping cough. When taken in time it prevents pneumonia. This remedy is for sale by Gibson & Timberman and W. F. Creighton & Co.

The Market.

Georgetown, Nov. 30.—Wheat 70a80.

RUSSIA'S TROUBLES.

The two mutinous Russian warships, Ostrakoff and Pantaleimon, at Sebastapol were bombarded yesterday by the remainder of the fleet, while artillery bombarded the barracks held by the mutineers. The town is reported afire.

A dispatch from St. Petersburg says Sevastopol was yesterday the scene of a desperate battle between the mutinous sailors and the troops in the forts on shore. During the battle the town and the forts were bombarded by the guns of the cruiser Otchakoff, which now lies a mutinous wreck off Admiralty Point, its hull riddled with shells and its flaunting red ensign of revolution hauled down. Many of the crew of the Otchakoff were killed or wounded. According to one report the barracks of the mutineers were carried by storm after the mutinous fleet, which is said to have numbered 10 vessels, had surrendered, and the whole position is now in the hands of the troops under the command of General Nepluefl. The correctness of this report, however, is not guaranteed.

The operators of the St. Petersburg telegraphs decided to strike at midnight. The strike is said to be directed at M. Durnovo, Minister of the Interior, for whose removal the radicals are working.

It is not known whether communications can be maintained, as most of the military operators were arrested Tuesday for sedition and the cable operators, though foreigners, may be intimidated into leaving their keys.

A railroad strike is expected at any moment.

There was frantic selling on the Bourse yesterday. Prices reached the lowest point yet recorded. People are besieging the St. Petersburg banks and transferring their money to foreign banks. The imperial bank's branch at Moscow has refused to accept paper money. The bank at St. Petersburg accepts it at one-third of its face value.

The police of Grodno struck in a body. The governor thereupon dismissed them all and requisitioned troops to perform police duty. The result is not known. The police of St. Petersburg have presented claims to the government for an increase in pay and for four days, leave of absence in each month.

The sailors on the Baltic and Black Sea fleets demanded an improvement in the food served them, the right to wear civilian clothes when on leave, and immunity from arrest on political charges when on leave.

Father Gapon, who is now in St. Petersburg, in an interview, advises against force and rioting and urges organization for the eventual struggle.

THE MERIWETHER TRIAL.

With Meriwether the defense closed its case at Anapolis yesterday, and it is thought they will not have any other witnesses to offer. The prosecution, however, offered two medical witnesses in rebuttal of the testimony of Drs. Gatewood, Glazebrook and Amez, all of whom stated yesterday that they were of the opinion that death was caused by the head of the victim coming in violent contact with some smooth, hard substance, like the floor or wall of the room or some fixture in it.

The witnesses offered in rebuttal were Drs. Henry M. Thomas, of the Johns Hopkins Hospital, a brain specialist, and Jas. C. Byrnes, chief of the medical staff of the academy. The former was satisfied that death had resulted from the blows from the fist, and said he would have to know something about the falls and the head coming in contact with the wall or some other object, though he admitted that at the time of the operation there were no symptoms of blood clot. The clot, he admitted, was undoubtedly a contributary cause of death.

Dr. Brynes said he was still of the same opinion regarding the cause of death. The blows from the fist, he stated, inflicted the injury to brain, which caused idema, though he admitted that the blood clot was an important factor in the case.

With their medical experts the prosecution introduced several members of Branch's class, who testified that the victim was a most lovable, gentlemanly fellow, and one of the most popular members of the class. All stated that while they had nothing in particular against Meriwether, he was always looked upon as being to "ratey," and had taken advantages of privileges that did not belong to a man of his standing in the academy. One of the witnesses who was put up to show Meriwether's unpopularity was asked if the accused had been too independent, and he amused the court and spectators by remarking that "it was not admitted that a plebe could be independent."

Superintendent Sands declared that fighting was not countenanced by the authorities, and he considered it a gross disorder.

Captain Colvocoresses, commander of cadets, denied that any assurance had been given that fighting would be winked at.

The court will hold a session today and an adjournment till Monday is expected.

Rev. Dr. Lloyd.

It is understood that pressure is being brought to bear on Rev. Dr. Arthur S. Lloyd, by the northern Episcopalians, to prevent him from giving up the mission secretaryship of the Episcopal Church in the United States and accepting the coadjutor bishopic of Southern Virginia. The "Churchman," published in New York, voices this pressure in its current issue, in which it praises the work of Rev. Dr. Lloyd in behalf of missions, and says it cannot see why the church at large to which he is so very useful, should have to give him up in order that he may accept a bishopric.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury,

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free.

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THURSDAY EVENING, NOV. 30, 1905.

Local Matters.

Sun and Tide Table.

Sun rises tomorrow at 6:59 a. m. and sets at 4:39 p. m. High water at 11:13 a. m.

Weather Probabilities.

For this section fair and colder tonight. Friday fair, continued cold; brisk northwest to north winds.

Pretty Wedding.

A pretty wedding was the marriage Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock in St. Teresa's Church. Anacostia, of Miss Rosina Tassinara Sullivan of that place and Mr. John Aloysius Lannon of Alexandria. Rev. Charles M. Bart, the pastor of St. Teresa's Church, performed the ceremony. He was assisted by Rev. Fathers M P. Egan of Anacostia and Cutler and Bowden of Alexandria. Many friends of the contracting parties witnessed the service, in addition to the large circle of relatives of the couple. The bride was given in marriage by her brother, Dr. James F. Sullivan of Philadelphia. She was becomingly attired in white liberty silk and lace and wore a tulle veil. She carried a shower bouquet of roses and lilies of the valley. Miss Pauline Finotti, daintily gowned in white French mull and lace, preceded the bride, carrying the latter's white prayer book, a gift from Rev. Father Bart, her pastor. The best man was Mr. Thomas S. Lannon of Alexandria, a brother of the groom. The altar was lighted with numerous tapers and surmounted by palms. Miss Jennie C. Bartley, the organist played Mendelssohn's "Spring Song" as the ceremony proceeded. The ushers were Messrs John D. Normoyle and George A. Harlow, of Alexandria, and C. F. Thompson and Raymond A. Heiskell, of Washington. A reception was given the young people by the bride's uncle, Mr. Frank M. Finotti, at his home on Jackson street, Anacostia. Among those present were Mrs. Ellen D. Finotti, Mrs. Thomas Lannon and Miss Lannon of Alexandria, Mr. Jesse Heiskell, Mr. and Mrs. Adams of Alexandria, Mr. and Mrs. Roche of Alexandria, and Mrs. Green of Alexandria, Miss Nettie Heiskell, the Misses Hardy, Mr. Thomas Lannon, Mrs. John Finotti and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Finnotti and many others. Mr. and Mrs. Lannon left on a northern trip and will return to reside in Alexandria. The groom is a business man of this city and the bride is a daughter of Mrs. Rosina T. Sullivan, of Anacostia.

Mackey Indignant.

Mr. Crandall Mackey, Commonwealth's Attorney for Alexandria county, was intemperate in his utterances yesterday when Dr. Ashton, the County Coroner, reported to him the action of Dr. W. R. Purvis, Coroner of this city, in ordering Demaine & Son to bury the remains of James Richardson, colored, who was killed by Alexandria policemen near Spring Park last Monday. He is reported as having said that the action of the city authorities was undignified, and that if any one would prefer a charge of murder against the four policemen who were concerned in the death of Richardson, he would cause their arrest and present the matter to the Alexandria county grand jury. Nobody has the remotest idea of doing any such thing, and if the unlikely should occur the county would incur an unneccessary expense in order to show petty resentment. When asked if the county coroner would take any action against the undertakers who removed Richardson's body into this city, Mr. Mackey said that Dr. Ashton might prosecute them for contempt. Dr. Purvis is believed to have acted in a legal and common sense manner in the premises.

Mildred & Rouclere Co.

Mildred and Rouclere, the superb mystifiers, will appear at the Opera House again tonight, having given a matinee this afternoon, the performance pleasing every one. Everything this year is entirely new except the title. They do not carry an exhibition of the cheap variety, but have put a large expenditure of money on the stage, thus securing the very best vaudeville acts. Among the acts are: Bert Lennon, characterim personator; Farnum, acrobatic comedian; Andy McClure, monologue artist; Rena Saunders, soprano singer, and Dock Leggitt, eccentric comedian. Mildred and Rouclere will present their latest masterpiece, "The Flight of Princess Iris," with all the latest mechanical effects.

Thanksgiving Day.

The weather today has been fair, but the temperature rather too low for comfort, the brisk northwest wind which set in last night having continued today. A partial holiday has been observed, and services were held in the different churches according to the announcements made yesterday.

All schools were closed and government employees together with many others were given holiday. The day was spent in many ways, according to individual tastes. Numbers of Alexandrians visited Washington, while equally as many from that city came here. A large percentage of men went on gunning and fishing trips.

Asphyxiated.

Mr. Ernest T. Rudolph, a clerk at the German Savings Bank in Baltimore for 25 years, was found dead at his home, 217 North Mount street, yesterday morning. Mr. Rudolph had been suffering from pleurisy for some time and he retired Tuesday night about 10 o'clock and left a gas heater and a light burning. It is thought that death was caused by pleurisy, superinduced by the gas. Mr. Rudolph was 45 years old and was born in Baltimore. He leaves two brothers, Rev. William Rudolph, of Illinois, and Mr. Walter Rudolph and three sisters, Miss Annie Rudolph, Mrs. John Behrens of Baltimore, and Mrs. George Schriener, of this city.

Virginia Democrats.

The annual dinner of the Virginia Democratic Association of the District of Columbia will be held at the Riggs House in Washington, on Monday, December 11. A large number of invitations have been issued and the attendance is expected to be large. Among those invited are Hon. John Sharp Williams, Gov. A. J. Montague, Hon. Joseph E. Willard, Governor-elect Claude Swanson, Senators Daniel and Martin and Mr. J. Taylor Ellyson, Lieutenant-Governor-elect. Several persons from Alexandria will attend.

Personal.

Mr. W. P. Graves, jr., has returned from Asheville, N. C.

Rev. Edgar Carpenter and his bride have returned from their wedding trip and are now at the rectory of Grace Church, on south Patrick street.

Miss Jessie R. Armstrong last night at her home on Prince street, entertained a number of her friends at a delightful Thanksgiving party given in honor of her guests, Misses Evans and Hodges, of Philadelphia, and Miss Miller, of Baltimore.

The Confederate Memorial Literary Society held its annual meeting for election of officers yesterday in Richmond. Mrs. Joseph Bryan was elected president. The membership committee reported that Mrs. W. A. Smoot, of Alexandria, had been made a life member by the U. D. C., of Alexandria.

Mrs. A. H. Smythe, who had recently been in the Alexandria Hospital while suffering from pleuro pneumonia, has materially improved and has been removed to her home.

Miss Alice Hart, of Hampden-Sidney, is visiting Miss Mary Thomson.

Cha-wa-kai.

A Cha-wa-kai, or Japanese tea, will be held in the rooms of the Alexandria Library (in Lee Camp Hall) tomorrow (Friday) afternoon, December 1st, from 3 to 10 p. m. The decorations of the rooms consist of genuine Japanese paper and reed ornaments, screens, fans, lanterns, napkins, tablecloths and various other weird forms known and used exclusively by the little people of the far East. These decorations have been imported especially for the occasion and will be offered for sale, together with the various other articles suitable for Christmas gifts. An especial feature will be the "salad bowl," which will test the literary knowledge of the patrons. This Cha-wa-kai will not only be a "feast of reason." A supper to satisfy the inner man after he has struggled with the "literary salad" will give increased desire for the more substantial supper of salad and other good things to eat, which will be another feature of this unique entertainment.

Indecent Conduct on Train.

Arthur Johnson, colored, while in a state of intoxication, boarded an incoming electric train a short distance north of this city shortly before 9 o'clock this morning. He had not been on the train long before his indecent conduct caused Conductor Crockett to telephone for officers to meet the train upon its arrival in this city. Officers Henderson and Beach were on hand when the cars stopped at King and Royal streets and took Johnson in custody. He was helplessly drunk and will be locked up until tomorrow morning when he will be brought before the Police Court.

Fatal Fall.

Richard Lawis, colored, of Brick Haven, Alexandria county, died in Washington last night from injuries received by falling from a wagon which he was driving near Long Bridge on Monday afternoon. In falling Lewis struck his head on the pavement, fracturing his skull, and the wheels of the wagon ran over him, breaking both legs. Lewis was well known in this city.

Funeral.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Mary A. Blanchette, who died Tuesday night, took place from the residence, 1228 Prince street, this afternoon. The services were conducted by Rev Mr. Jeffers. The pallbeareas were Messrs. Drowns, Hess, Boyd, Garnett, Kane and Earley.

Odd Fellows.

Potomac Lodge of Odd Fellows are anticipating an interesting time at their meeting tomorrow night. The degree team will meet tonight for the purpose of rehearsing the work of the third degree which will be conferred upon three candidates tomorrow night.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Many Alexandrians living elsewhere came home to spend Thanksgiving Day, and the family reunions were numerous.

There was but one case before the Police Court this morning, that of Henry McNeil and Addie Wood, both colored, who had been arrested for disorderly conduct. The man was dismissed, but the woman was fined $10.

Marriage licenses were issued in Washington yesterday to Hampton V. Ricks and Minnie A. Neal, of Leesburg; Benjamin Branch, of Culpeper, and Cora Pryor, and to Peter S. Davis, of Wilton, Okla, and Mamie Anerson, of Fairfax.

Judging from the number of men and boys, white and colored, who left this city today in quest of game, if any rabbit or bird in the surrounding country escaped being shot it was frightened to death.

A report of another hold-up and robbery near the new depot was in circulation today, but could not be traced to an authentic source. More than one-half of such reports are without foundation.

An electric car was derailed near Spring Park shortly before noon today, and interrupted the running of trains for some time.

This was Donation Day at the Alexandria Hospital, and many kind friends remembered that deserving institution.

Fried Clams 30 cents a dozen. Oysters fried stew or raw. Free lunch—hot sausage, C. H. Zimmerman, Market Space.

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The Murder of Mrs. Todd.

The most baffling of all New York's recent murder mysteries, the doing to death of Mrs. Margaretta Todd, was yesterday nearer a solution than it has been at any time since the body of the eccentric old woman was found lying on the tracks of the Reading Railway, in Fairmont Park, Philadelphia.

Mrs. Todd, it is now known to the satisfaction of the legal representatives of her daughter, Mrs. Frank Tousey, was lured to Philadelphia to be killed. The plot was hatched by persons who were concerned in her death at that particular time in order that their financial interests might not be impaired.

Robbery was the prime motive, but jewels or cash were not the spoil the murderers sought. Diamonds worth many thousands of dollars were on Mrs. Todd's hand and at her throat when the body was picked up. The plotters sought important papers. These are missing. Mrs. Todd had them with her when she started from the Hotel Von Hoffman, in New York, to proceed unwittingly to her death.

These papers were regarded as vital by those whom they concerned. How vital may be judged by the fact that the conspirators were reckless enough to risk putting their heads into a noose by slaying a defenseless old woman and then thrusting her body upon the railway tracks in order to make it appear that she was run down by a train.

What these papers are, and exactly how the crime was accomplished, cannot be told now, according to Theron Davis, of counsel for Mrs. Tousey.

Rate Regulation.

The draft of the bill prepared by the Interstate Commerce Commission at the request of the Senate committee on interstate commerce was sent to the committee yesterday, and from now on will form the basis of negotiations for a rate regulation measure. The points in the proposed bill are:

Interstate Commerce Commission given power to declare a rate, which shall be in force after 30 days.

Right given to fix a diffierential and prescribe a maximum and minimum rate to prevent discriminations.

Power to change classification of any article.

Carriers who fail to obey an order of the commission are to be fined $5,000 for each day of violation after the order goes into effect.

The government to be the defendant in all appeals from the commission's order.

Inspectors to have the right to examine the books of railways.

Prescribes the account books to be kept by railroads.

Fought Police With Fire.

Fire was used to baffle the police yesterday in one of the biggest race-track poolroom raids made in New York during recent months. Forty men were arrested in the raid. The alleged pool-room was on East Eighth street, on the third floor of a five-story building.

When the police appeared paphernalia was heaped on the floor of the room and set on fire. Although the building itself also caught fire, the men in the room locked themselves in behind steel-barred doors, and raising the windows so that the smoke could escape they shouted in unison "Fire! Fire!" A panic immediately broke out in another part of the building among factory girl, who rushed down the stairs upon the police, and who had to be rescued and quieted before the raid could continue.

The streets below were filled with a howling crowd, whose efforts to locate the fire and to help the girls still more impeded the police. When the officers entered the room the last vestige of what they charge was the evidence which they hoped to secure was burning on the floor. The fire had already spread to one of the walls, but was extinguished by the police.

Saved by Dynamite.

Sometimes, a flaming city is saved by dynamiting a space that the fire can't cross. Sometimes, a cough hangs on so long, you feel as if nothing but dynamite would cure it Z. T. Gray, of Calhoun, Ga., writes: "My wife had a very aggravated cough, which kept her awake nights. Two physicians could not help her; so she took Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, which eased her cough, gave her sleep, and finally cured her." Strictly scientific cure for bronchitis and La Grippe. At E. S. Leadbeater & Sons' drug store, price 50c and $1.00; guaranteed. Trial bottle free.

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We also desire to express to our public our gratification for their unstinted patronage and loyalty which have been our pleasure to win and to hold these many years. And to those who lend their aid in increasing our material success we make acknowledgment of their faithful services.

Among the blessings which we recount on this day we turn to our vast store of merchandise awaiting the later festival, Christmas Day, and include these bountiful supplies in our debt to prosperity.

In tomorrow's Gazette we will publish the announcement of gifts, rare and diverse in character, and surely no other season's display has ever equaled the splendor of the assemblage which graces our establishment, increases our value as purveyors, which invites your cordial inspection, and which arouses thankfulness both for possession and for the privilege of giving pleasure to those who buy.

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THURSDAY EVENING. NOV. 30, 1905.

Korean Protest.

A dispatch from Paris says that the Korean minister, Min Yeung-Tchan, sailed for New York yesterday on the Kaiser Wilhelm II. for the purpose of presenting a protest at Washington against Japan assuming authority over Korea. The Minister says the protest emanates from the Emperor of Korea, who cabled instructions to procure a protest to France and the United States. The Minister's advices say that Japan's assumption of power was accompanied by a display of armed force, and that the Emperor was treated violently. Inquiry in French governmental quarters indicates that there is no intention to act upon the Korean protest. The officials point out that several protests from the same quarter have been submitted during the last few months. The official view is that Japan's assumption of the control of Korea was inevitable, and that therefore, while the methods may have been harsh, yet the situation does not warrant the powers in intervening, since China and Russia, which are principally concerned, have given up by the treaties of Shimonoseki and Portsmouth the right to intervene.

Hicks for December.

A reactionary storm period, the first of the month, is central on the 3rd, 4th and 5th. Growing cloudiness will result in the same sections, and during the 4th to the 6th rain, then sleet and snow. The crisis will fall on Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, the 3rd, 4th 5th followed by a severe cold wave, lasting until about the 8th.

A regular storm period is central on the 10th, extending from the 8th to 13th. By about Saturday, the 9th, a decided change to warmer. These conditions will bring on increasing storms to reach their culminating crisis on the 11th. Look for rain at the oncoming of these storms especially to the southward, but be prepared for change to northwesterly blizzards as the storms move eastward, and for a genuine December cold wave to follow.

A reactionary storm period is central on the 15th, 16th and 17th, and snow will be touching Saturday, the 16th and 17th. Statistics will show that one of the stormiest periods on the Atlantic ocean, along the line of travel and traffic from the United States to Europe, lies from the 5th to the 25th of December.

A regular storm period covers the 20th to the 26th and the regular Vulcano storm period is central on the 22nd. The crisis of this period may be looked for on and touching Saturday, Sunday and Monday, the 23d, 24th and 25th.

A reactionary storm period is central on the 27th, 28th and 29th. The general cold will partially break up, the high barometer relax into lower pressure, and renewed squalls of rain, snow and wind visit many sections of the country.

Death from Religious Fervor.

Mrs. J. K Rumberg, wife of a Methodist minister at Simpson, Floyd county, Va., died yesterday morning in Roanoke from the effects of religious enthusiasm. Her husband, Rev. J. K. Rumberg, a member of the Virginia Conference, conducted a revival at their home church, Tuesday night. Mrs. Arlington Rumberg Gray, a daughter of the pastor, and his wife, went to the alter and made a profession of faith. The mother, who is a devout Methodist, was so overjoyed that she began shouting, which she kept up until completely exhausted, falling in a swoon. She was carried out of the church and a physician sent for. She could not be removed to her home, a quarter mile distant, for several hours, on account of the seriousness of her condition. She was seized with a hemorrhage from over exertion and excitement, and death finally resulted. The revival was broken up. The husband is grief stricken. It is feared that the pastor's mind may become unbalanced. Mrs Rumberg leaves several children, among them being a married son and daughter.

A Creeping Death.

Blood poison creeps up towards the heart, causing death. J. E. Stearns, Belle Plaine, Minn., writes that a friend dreadfully injured his hand, which swelled up like blood poisoning. Bucklen's Arnica Salve drew out the poison, healed the wound, and save his life. Best in the world for burns and sores. 25c at E. S. Leadbeater & Sons' drug store.

Herb W. Edwards Injured.

Herb W. Edwards, of Des Moines, Iowa, got a fall on an icy walk last winter, spraining his wrist and bruising his knees. "The next day," he says, "they were so sore and stiff I was afraid I would have to stay in bed, but I rubbed them well with Chamberlain's Pain Balm and after a few applications all soreness had disappeared. I feel that this bottle of Pain Balm saved me several days' time, to say nothing of the suffering." This liniment is for sale by Gibson & Timberman and W. F. Creighton & Co.

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NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.

Important Changes in Schedule at Alexandria and in Train Numbers. Washington-Southern Railway, Effective Sunday, November 26th.

Train 82 (now No. 32) will stop only to discharge passengers

Train 84 (now No. 34) will leave 9:51 a. m. daily.

Train 14 (now No. 406) will leave 2.53 p. m., except Sunday.

Train 22 (now No. 404) will leave 7:07 p. m. daily.

Train 66 will leave 8:18 p. m. daily.

Train 80 (now No. 40) will leave 11:33 p. m. daily.

Following is a list of trains at present and the numbers as they will be known commencing November 26th:

Old Number.	Northward.	New Number.
32	A. C. L. Florida and West Indian Ltd.	82
400	Quantico and Washington accommo'n.	2
34	Seaboard Express.	84
402	From Richmond and local stations.	10
406	From Richmond and principal stations	14
404	Quantico and Washington accommo'n.	22
66	Seaboard Mail.	66
40	A. C. L. Express.	80
	Southward.	
39	A. C. L. Express.	89
409	For Richmond and local stations.	9
407	Washington and Quantico accommo'n.	11
43	Seaboard Mail.	43
35	A. C. L. Florida and West Indian Ltd.	85
401	Washington and Quantico accommo'n.	19
403	For Richmond and local stations.	23
31	Seaboard Express.	81
405	Washington and Quantico accommo'n.	27

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SATURDAY,
December 2, 1905,

at 12 m. the following described real estate in said city of Alexandria:

Beginning at "7" on the north side of Commerce street seventy-three feet three inches east of West street, and running thence north ninety-six feet to "8," the south side of an alley supposed to be twelve feet wide twenty-four feet east of West street; thence with said alley and parallel with Commerce street six and three-fourths feet to "C," the northeast boundary of the original lot; thence south and perpendicular to Commerce street ninety-five and one-fourth feet to "D," the north side of Commerce street; thence with Commerce street west eighteen and one-half feet to the beginning, together with the improvements thereon, and all rights and appurtenances to the same belonging.

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MEETINGS.

A SPECIAL MEETING of the stockholders of the SEMMES-KELLEY COMPANY will be held at the principal office of the company, 111 south Fairfax street, in the city of Alexandria, Virginia, on FRIDAY, December 15, 1905, at 3 o'clock p. m., for the election of officers and directors and the transaction of any other business that may be presented to the stockholders.

EDWARD J. KELLEY, Secretary. no10 30t

THE ANNUAL ELECTION OF DIRECTORS for the ensuing year by the stockholders of THE STANDARD BRICK COMPANY will be held at the office of the company, room 2, 111 south Fairfax street, Alexandria Va., MONDAY, December 11, 1905. Polls open from 12 o'clock noon to 1 o'clock p. m., in pursuance of bylaws of said company.

By order of the President.

T. L. HOLBROOK.

Attest: HENRY P. WEST, Secretary. nov10,20,27, dec4, 11.

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the WASHINGTON FERTILIZER CO., for the election of officers and directors for the ensuing year and for such other business as may come up, will be held at the office of the company, No. 123 south Royal street, Alexandria, Va., at 11 o'clock a. m., on WEDNESDAY, December 13th, 1905.

JOHN F. WILKINS, President.
LOUIS BEYER, JR., Secretary. nov20 w3w-m

PROPOSALS.

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received by the City Engineer and Committee on Streets until 12 o'clock m., MONDAY, December 4, 1905, stating the charge per hour between the hours of 5 a. m. and 11 p. m. for two horses and a driver to operate a Street Sprinkler and Sweeper, which will be furnished by the city, and to remove sweepings from the vitrified brick pavements; also stating charge per hour when used on streets paved with cobblestones. The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

E. S. LEADBEATER,
Chairman Committee on Streets. no22 td

GENERAL DEPOT OF THE QUARTERMASTER'S DEPARTMENT, Washington, D. C., November 22, 1905.—Sealed proposals in triplicate will be received at this office until 2 o'clock, p. m., Wednesday, December 6, 1905, for grading and resurfacing the road between Fort Myer Drill Ground and the Arlington National Cemetery, Virginia. Specifications and information can be obtained on application to this office. U. S. reserves right to accept or reject any or all proposals or any part thereof. Envelopes containing proposals should be marked "Proposals for Grading and Resurfacing Road," and addressed to Captain A. W. BUTT, Quartermaster, U. S. A., in charge of Depot. no23,24,25,27,dec4,5

GENERAL DEPOT OF THE QUARTERMASTER'S Department, Washington, D. C., November 20th, 1905.—Sealed proposals, in triplicate, will be received at this office until 2 o'clock, p. m., Monday, December 4th, 1905, for constructing a wire fence at Signal Corps Post, Fort Myer, Va. Plans and specifications can be seen and information obtained on application to this office. U. S. reserves right to accept or reject any or all proposals or any part thereof. Envelopes containing proposals should be marked "Proposals for Constructing Wire Fence," and addressed to Captain A. W BUTT, Quartermaster, U. S. A., in charge of Depot. nov20,21,22,23 dec 1,2

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LEGAL NOTICES.

VIRGINIA. In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 22nd day of November, 1905.

Fred. L. Wagar vs. Anna Thomas Marbury, Eliza Hunter Marbury, Alice V. Browning, Francis F. Marbury, Mary Marbury Taylor, William H. Marbury and Leonard Marbury, the two last named being infants under fourteen years, of Leonard Marbury, deceased. In Chancery.

Memo. The object of this suit is to obtain a decree for the specific performance of a certain contract dated May 6th, 1905, entered into by the defendants, Anna Thomas Marbury, Eliza Hunter Marbury, Alice V. Browning, Francis F. Marbury and Mary Marbury Taylor, with the complainant, for the sale of all that certain lot or parcel of ground with the improvements thereon and appurtenances thereto belonging, situated in the City of Alexandria, Virginia, on the north side of Prince street, between Royal and Pitt streets, and designated and numbered 413 and 415 Prince street.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendants, Alice V. Browing, William H. Marbury and Leonard Marbury, are none-residents of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendants appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect their interests in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the City of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.

A copy—Teste:

CHARLES BENDHEIM, Clerk.
By NEVELL S. GREENAWAY D. C.
John M. Johnson and J. R. and H. B. Caton p. q. nov24 w4w-f

VIRGINIA.—In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 17th day of November, 1905.

Minnie Payne vs. Wilber Payne } In Chancery.

Memo. The object of this suit is to obtain a decree for an absolute divorce upon the grounds of desertion.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, Wilber Payne, is a non resident of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the City of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.

A copy—TESTE.

CHARLES BENDHEIM, Clerk.
Samuel G. Brent, p. q. no17 w4w-f

VIRGINIA. In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 24th day of November, 1905.

John Henry Robinson vs. Louisa Mallery Robinson } in Chancery

Memo. The object of this suit is to obtain a decree absolutely divorcing the complainant, John Henry Robinson, from the defendant, Louisa Mallery Robinson.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, Louisa Mallery Robinson, is a non-resident of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect her interests in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette a newspaper published in the City of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.

A copy—Teste:

CHARLES BENDHEIM, Clerk,
By NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, D. C.
David Rothschild p. q. nov24 w4w-f

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.—Having qualified as the executor of the will of the late DONALD McLEAN, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said decedent to come forward and settle, and persons having claims against his estate will present them, duly authenticated, for settlement.

LEWIS H. MACHEN, Executor. no18 10t

HAVING QUALIFIED AS ADMINISTRATOR of the estate of ANNIE F. CHARLES, all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present them to me, duly verified, for payment. All persons indebted to said estate are notified to make settlement at once.

HARRY F. CHARLES,
Administrator of the estate of Annie F. Charles. no21 10t*

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—Having qualified as the administrator of the estate of HATTIE V. CREIGHTON, I hereby give notice that all persons having claims against the estate can present the same to me for payment and all persons indebted to the estate please settle the same.

FRANK C. CREIGHTON,
Administrator of the estate of Hattie V. Creighton. no21 10t

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7:47 P. M.—Daily—New York and Atlanta Express—First class coach to Atlanta; sleeper to Columbus, Ga. Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays Sunset Route Tourist sleeper Washington to San Francisco.

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For Washington, from corner Prince and Royal streets, week days at 5 45, 6 10x, 6 20, 6 35x, 6 45, 7 00x, 7 10, 7 20x, 7 35, 7 50x, 8 00, 8 15x, 8 20, 8 30, 9 00, 9 30, 10 00, 10 25, 11 00, 11 15 and 11 40 a. m., 12 20, 12 45, 1 00, 1 20, 1 45, 2 10, 2 45, 3 00, 3 30, 3 45, 4 10, 4 35, 4 50x, 5 00, 5 20, 5 35, 5 45, 6 00, 6 20, 6 40, 7 00, 7 20, 7 40, 8 00, 8 20, 8 40, 9 10, 9 50, 10 30 and 11 10 p. m.

LEAVE WASHINGTON.

For Alexandria, from the corner of Pennsylvania avenue and 12th street, week days, 6 20 6 45x, 6 55, 7 10, 7 20x, 7 35, 7 45x, 7 55, 8 25 8 50, 9 10, 9 40, 10 00, 10 05x, 10 30, 11 00 11 30 a. m. 12 00 noon, 12 15 12 35, 1 00, 1 25 1 55, 2 00x, 2 30, 3 00, 3 30, 4 00, 4 15, 4 35x 4 40, 4 55x, 5 05, 5 15x 5 25, 5 45x, 6 00, 6 15x 6 30 6 45x, 7 00 7 10, 7 50, 8 30, 9 10, 9 50, 10 30, 11 10, 11 50 p. m. and 12 30 a. m.

Saturdays only, 7 30x, 9 00x and 11 00x p. m.

Sundays—7 35, 8 45, 9 00, 9 35, 10 10, 10 40, 11 00, 11 30 a. m., 12 00 noon, 12 30, 1 00, 1 20, 1 40, 2 00, 2 20, 2 40, 3 00, 3 20, 3 40, 4 00, 4 20, 4 40, 5 00, 5 20, 5 40, 6 00, 6 20, 6 40, 7 00, 7 20, 7 40, 8 00, 8 30, 9 10, 9 50, 10 30, 11 10 and 11 50 p. m

FOR MOUNT VERNON.

Leave Alexandria for Mount Vernon, week days, 5 45, 6 52, 8 32, 10 32, 11 32 a. m., 12 32, 1 32 2 32, 3 32, 4 47, 5 40